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SUBJECT: AWARD FOR ADMIRAL ZIMMERMAN

1. DOD IS CONSIDERING THE PRESENTATION OF THE LEGION OF MERIT (DEGREE OF COMMANDER) TO ADMIRAL ARMIN ZIMMERMAN OF THE WEST GERMAN NAVY FOR EXCEPTIONALLY MERITORIOUS CONDUCT IN THE PERFORMANCE OF OUTSTANDING SERVICES AS CHAIRMAN, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, DURING THE PERIOD APRIL 1972 TO DECEMBER 1973.

2. ALL NECESSARY USG CONCURRENCES HAVE BEEN OBTAINED AND THE EMBASSY NOW IS REQUESTED TO SEEK FRG APPROVAL OF THE AWARD.

3. ADMIRAL ZIMMERMAN WILL BE IN WASHINGTON DECEMBER 9-15 AND AWARD TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR PRESENTATION DECEMBER 13. DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY ASAP. KISSINGER

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